

Leaf Collection 101

Fall 2009 & Spring 2010

Fall leaf pick-up is *once* a week from October 19th thru December 17th on your regular pick-up day. On Thanksgiving, collection will be Friday, 11/27. The transfer station will remain open 11/27 and 11/28. In the Spring, leaf collection will be *every other week*, the weeks of March 29th, April 12th & 26th, and May 10th.

- Make sure that leaves are out the night before your collection day.
- Leaves must be placed in brown paper leaf bags or loose in garbage cans.
- Never place leaves in plastic bags! Even if the bags claim to be biodegradable, leaves placed in plastic bags will not be picked up!
- Pick up all litter first and never mix leaves with rocks, soil, branches or other debris!
- Leaves should never be raked into the street, piled at the curb, or placed in wetlands, streams, storm drains or on Land Trust property.

- Paper leaf bags are available at many Branford stores including A&P Super Food Mart, Caron's Corner, Richlin's, Super Stop & Shop, Walgreen's, and Wal-Mart.*
- Leaves can be brought to the compost site behind the transfer station any time of year. A Branford Residence Sticker is required.

(* Listing a private company does not constitute an endorsement by the Town of Branford)



Leaf Collection Schedule

Leaves are collected on your recycling day during the following weeks.

2009/2010 Schedule

FALL 2009

Oct 19 - 22
Oct 26 - 29
Nov 2 - 5
Nov 9, 10, 12, 13
Nov 16 - 19
Nov 23, 24, 25, 27
Nov 30 - Dec 3
Dec 7 - 10
Dec 14 - 17



SPRING 2010

Mar 29 - Apr 1
Apr 12 - 15
Apr 26 - 29
May 10 - 13



DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE & RECYCLING
203-315-0622 24-hour Hotline
Phone staffed 6:45 A.M. - 3:15 P.M., Mon-Fri.
Office hours: 7:15 A.M. - 1:30 P.M., Mon-Fri, or by appointment.

Branford Transfer Station
747 East Main Street (Route 1)
[www.branford-ct.gov/solid waste.htm](http://www.branford-ct.gov/solid_waste.htm)